

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Abramowitz, *et al.*

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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.323

Sir:

The above patent application Serial No. 09/821,103 issued as U.S. Pat. No. 7,135,465 on November 14, 2006. Applicants hereby request a certificate of correction for the clerical, typographical, and/or minor errors set forth on the form PTO/SB/44 attached hereto. Remarks regarding the corrections are set forth below on page 2.

REMARKS

Each of the errors, depicted in Table 1, occurred through the fault of the Applicants in good faith for which correction is sought under 37 CFR 1.323. Applicants submit these corrections present no new matter and do not require reexamination, as it is clear from the patent document itself that each of the errors is of a typographical, clerical, and/or minor nature. Remarks regarding each of the corrections follow the Table.

Table 1

Error Number	Column and Page	Error	Correction
1	claim 7, line 11	The term “from consisting of” should read “from the group consisting of”.	The words “the group” were inserted between “from” and “consisting of”.
2	claim 15, line 31	The term “Extended-sphereonized” should read “Extruded-spheronized”.	The term “Extended-sphereonized” was replaced with “Extruded-spheronized”.

Error 1 is clearly typographical and occurred through the fault of the Applicants.

Error 2 contains two parts, both of which were typographical in nature. In the first part, the term “spheronized” was misspelled as “sphereonized”. In the second part, the term “Extruded” was inadvertently written as “Extended”. Support for this correction can be found in claim 1. Both parts of Error 2 occurred through the fault of the Applicants.

As these corrections are being requested pursuant to 37 CFR 1.323 the Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee due under 37 CFR 1.20(a) to Deposit Account No. 19-3880. Additionally, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee that may be required for this request to the aforementioned Deposit Account. The USPTO is requested to kindly contact the undersigned if deemed appropriate to expedite this request.

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CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Claim 7, line 11, "from consisting of" should be --from the group consisting of--.

Claim 15, line 31, "Extended-sphereonized beadlets" should be --Extruded-spheronized beadlets--.

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